

AGENDA



Recommendation for Council Action (Purchasing)

Austin City Council	Item ID:	9455	Agenda Number	24.
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Meeting Date:	October 6, 2011
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Department:	Purchasing
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Subject

Authorize award and execution of a 24-month requirements supply contract with HD SUPPLY WATER WORKS, Round Rock, TX for the purchase of fire hydrant upper barrels, stems and repair parts for the Austin Water Utility in an estimated amount not to exceed \$418,361.96, with two 12-month extension options in an estimated amount not to exceed \$209,180.98 per extension option, for a total estimated contract amount not to exceed \$836,723.92, and with MUNICIPAL WATER WORKS SUPPLY, Royse City, TX in an estimated amount not to exceed \$345,593.70, with two 12-month extension options in an estimated amount not to exceed \$172,796.85 per extension option, for a total estimated contract amount not to exceed \$691,187.40 and with HYDRAFLO, INC., Beaumont, TX in an estimated amount not to exceed \$350,450.20, with two 12-month extension options in an estimated amount not to exceed \$175,225.10 per extension option, for a total estimated contract amount not to exceed \$700,900.40.

Amount and Source of Funding

Funding in the amount of \$557,202.93 is available in the Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Operating Budget of the Austin Water Utility. Funding for the remaining 12 months of the original contract period and extension options is contingent upon available funding in future budgets.

Fiscal Note

There is no unanticipated fiscal impact. A fiscal note is not required.

Purchasing Language:	Lowest bids of six bids received.
Prior Council Action:	
For More Information:	Sydney Ceder, Sr. Buyer /974 2035
Boards and Commission Action:	Recommended by the Water and Wastewater Commission.
MBE / WBE:	This contract will be awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9D of the City Code (Minority-Owned and Women-Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program). No subcontracting

opportunities were identified; therefore, no goals were established for this solicitation.

Related Items:

Additional Backup Information

This contract provides the Austin Water Utility with fire hydrant upper barrels and stems that are used by maintenance crews for the repair of fire hydrants throughout the City. The fire hydrant upper barrels and stems will be supplied in various types and sizes. These parts will be ordered on an as needed bases and stored at AWU's Webberville and Glen Bell Storeroom.

This contract combines the requirements of a contract that expires in October 2011 and the remaining portion of a contract that is split between three vendors and only one of the vendors elected to agree to extend the current contract. It is in the best interest of the City to continue with the current active contract that reflects pricing from 2009.

MBE/WBE solicited: 2/2

MBE/WBE bid: 0/0

BID TABULATION

IFB No. SSC0160

FIRE HYDRANT UPPER BARRELS, STEMS AND REPAIR PARTS
(101 Line Items)

<u>VENDOR</u>	<u>TOTAL BID (ITEMS BID)</u>	<u>AWARD AMOUNT (ITEMS AWARDED)</u>
Hydraflo, Inc. Beaumont, Texas	\$256,122.95 (40 line items)	\$175,225.10 (33 line items)
HD Supply Water Works Round Rock, Texas	\$618,644.18 (98 line items)	\$209,180.98 (28 line items)
Municipal Water Works Supply Royse City, Texas	\$641,454.77 (97 line items)	\$172,796.85 (40 line items)
Act Pipe and Supply Pflugerville, Texas	\$190,410.85 (42 line items)	
Techline Pipe Austin, Texas	\$412,796.40 (59 line items)	
3MB Interior Plus Sugar Land, Texas	\$933,630.00 (92 line items)	

A copy of the bid tabulation is on file in the Purchasing Office and is on the City of Austin, FASD Purchasing Office website.

PRICE ANALYSIS

- a. Adequate competition.
- b. One hundred eighteen were sent, including two MBEs and two WBEs. Six bids were received, with no response from the MBEs/WBEs.
- c. The pricing offered represents an approximate 8% increase from the last contract award September 2009.

APPROVAL JUSTIFICATION

- a. Lowest bids received. Hydraflo, Inc., is one of the current providers.
- b. The Purchasing Office concurs with the Austin Water Utility's recommended award.
- c. Advertised in the Austin American-Statesman and on the Internet.